

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF EDUCATION
ALASKA SCHOOL SERVICE

Kotzebue, Alaska Aug. 30th-13.

Mr. Walter H. Johnson,

Nome, Alaska.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed you will find some vouchers am mailing today, covering the supplies given to the three boys returning from the Yukon. Charlie had gone up the river when your letter came on last boat and I did not have the time to get a stove for him. He mentioned something of the kind but I had no authority for getting it at that time. Guess he will get along all OK. Have mailed Sickler and Samms a copy of the letter to you.

In regard to the supplies for the launch. These things were absolutely necessary and I used the launch with them while doing the medical work here before the Doctor arrived. Some Natives live quite a distance from town during the summer and I made the runs to see them when called. Of course if you cant pay the I will have to dig down and get it. The repair work was done lately, caused by one of the hardest storms seen here for years, when several boats sunk, including this one, losing a rudder and this money was to get one again. Hope you will do your best. We are going up the river immediately upon arrival of the next mail boat whether the freight comes or not, we cant wait longer or wont have any water. Will start school soon as we get there. Give our best to Mr. Shields.

Yours Very Truly.

G. R. Snowden

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